

[Letter from Albert Knight (1854-1873) to his sister Olive Drinkwater; Albert is living in California]

San Jose Satterday June 14 73

Dear Sister Olive I received your note the other day stating that you was all well and that was about all it did Say you did not write any of the news at all how you got along with the spring work nor any thing else what is Alice I have not herd any thing from her for some time I wrote to frameingham a long time ago but got no answer it is hard work to hear any thing from home that I have almost given up writing more I am well and sincerely hope that this will find all the same at home Moses is well he is working near hear he is making his six to ten dolars a day believe he intends to Buy a ranch next fall Johnney is well and doing well I expect Emma is at home by this time how is Allie Ring her fore me tell her that Uncle Albert will bring her something pretty when he comes home who have you got helping you this summer tell Mother that she must not work to hard as well as all of the rest of you I expect you are having it pretty warm back thair now did Allan Miller go up to Boston with George to learn a trifle give my respects to Mr Cilley and wife and tell her that I did not hang any may baskets this year, I would like to be around Lincolnville a little if I could be back hear again when I wanted to but we can not be every whair at once, Speak a kind word for me to my friend. That is all who inquire after me that will not be many give my love to Grandmother as well as Mother and all of the family I have never been home sick but I think of home and friends very often well I can not think of any thing more to write any so I will Close with mutch love to you all write Soon and write all of the news and So Good By From your loving Brother Albert F Drinkwater
"P."

Please except my thanks for that Chew of gum it was very nice

Good By